Mountain Weather Forecast

Brecon Beacons National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Thursday 20 Jan 2022 until 23:59 on Friday 21 Jan 2022

Forecast Issued on Wednesday 19 Jan 2022 at 16:59

Confidence: High for a fine, cold day Thursday and for a change to slightly milder conditions from Friday, but lower with regard to cloud details.

Headline for Thursday 20 Jan 2022: Dry with long sunny spells. Cold northerly wind easing.

Mountain weather hazards on Thursday 20 Jan 2022

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy Snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** Low Likelihood	**Poor visibility** No Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Partly cloudy (night)	Partly cloudy (night)	Partly cloudy (night)	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Clear night	Clear night
Precipitation probability							
<05%	<05%	00%	00%	00%	00%	00%	00%

Forecast for Thursday 20 Jan 2022

Weather: Mainly dry overnight with long clear spells overnight. Then a dry and sunny day followed by a clear and frosty evening.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 600m: Close to 100%.

Visibility: Little or no cloud expected below summit level through the day with visibility very good or excellent through daylight hours with good panoramic views of surrounding hills.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	17/25 NW	16/23 N	15/21 N	12/17 N	14/19 N	12/17 N	10/13 N	8/11 N	6/9 N
300	6/18 NW	6/16 NW	6/15 N	5/12 N	8/15 N	7/13 N	3/8 N	2/7 NW	3/5 W
Valley	6/17 NW	5/15 NW	5/14 N	4/11 N	7/14 N	5/11 N	2/6 N	2/6 NW	3/5 NW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	1/-5	1/-5	-0/-6	-1/-6	-0/-6	-0/-5	-2/-7	-3/-7	-2/-6
300	2/-1	2/-0	2/-1	1/-1	3/-1	3/-0	-1/-3	-2/-4	-2/-4
Valley	3/0	3/1	2/0	2/-0	4/1	3/1	-1/-2	-2/-4	-2/-4
Freezing Level*	700m	600m	400m	400m	300m	300m	200m	100m	100m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Despite the sunshine still a significant chill effect, especially at higher elevations.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
15:00 on Wed 19 Jan 2022	1.6mm	1.8mm	1.8mm

Forecast for Friday 21 Jan 2022

Weather: Dry with some long clear spells overnight, although cloud in west tending to increase later. Then a bright, frosty start to a mostly dry day with variable, often large amounts of cloud, best of any sunnier spells in the east.

Maximum wind: Mainly westerly around 10-15mph

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 600m: Around 60% in east but nearer 30% in west.

Visibility: Occasional, or especially in the west, periods of cloud above about 600m. Otherwise visibility good or very good.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Around minus 3 or 4 Celsius at dawn rising to plus 6 or 7 Celsius by day
At 600m: Around minus 2 Celsius rising to plus 2 Celsius
Freezing level: Less than 300m rising to just above the summits

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